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Mr. William F. Caton Acting Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 Twelfth Street, S.W., Room TW-B204 Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Petitioner's Comments for

Balmorhea, Texas / MB Docket No. 02-185

Dear Ms. Salas:

Enclosed is an original and four (4) copies of Petitioner's Comments for Balmorhea, Texas.

Respectfully Submitted,

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FM Broadcast Stations)	
(Balmorhea, Texas))	

To: John Karousos, Chief Allocations Branch Mass Media Bureau

PETITIONER's COMMENTS

Please accept these comments as restated below from Proponents original petition.

DISCUSSION

Petitioner respectfully submits that the public interest would be served by allocating Channel 283C to Balmorhea, Texas, as that community's first aural broadcast transmission service. Balmorhea is an incorporated city with a population of 839 people as of January 1, 1998 according to the Texas State Data Center. Balmorhea has its own mayor, Ruben Fuentes., its own post office, its own school system, its own volunteer fire department and its own city hall.

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Should this petition be granted, and Channel 283C be allotted to Balmorhea, Texas Petitioner will apply for Channel 283C, and after it is authorized, will promptly construct the new facility.

The information provided in these Comments is correct and true to the best of my knowledge.

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